

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Koshi FUKAZAWA

Application No.: New Rule 53(b) Continuation
Application of Application
No. 09/236,539

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Docket No.: 102445.01

For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS, IMAGE DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS,
AND STORAGE MEDIUM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification; and

Remarks.